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## THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Latest Happenings.

### MAY 9TH.

Two hundred physicians were present at the opening session of the State Medical Association in Paducah yesterday.

The revolutionary party is now in full control of the republic of Santo Domingo. The United States probably will recognize the new Government.

The House yesterday began consideration of the bill providing for the admission of the Territories of New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arizona to the Union as States.

A resolution endorsing the movement to reclaim the arid lands of the West by irrigation was adopted yesterday by the Federation of Women's Clubs at Los Angeles, Cal.

The Louisville and Nashville railroad has purchased 50,000 acres of the best coal lands in the Middleboro district. The purchase is said to be a victory over the South-east.

The transcript of evidence in the case of Jim Howard was filed in the Appellate Clerk's office in Frankfort yesterday. The case will be called in ten days and set for argument.

Prof. K. Bier Keland, a Norwegian physicist, has invented an electro-magnetic cannon, which, theoretically, can throw a two-ton projectile ninety miles, or even further by lengthening the tube. No explosive gas results from the discharge of the gun.

Secretary of War Root has notified the House that the only orders sent to Gen. Smith were those of "General Order No. 100," approved in 1863. Conduct of the campaign in the Philippines, he says, has been left entirely with the officers on the scene.

Lord Salisbury in an address yesterday said in regard to the Boer War that Great Britain had not received one inch from her former position. On the question of colonial federation, he urged a patient waiting for "precious results which are in store for the empire."

A confession clause is believed to have been inserted in the restraining bill the Government is expected to file tomorrow against the beef packers in Chicago. The Government may ask for the confiscation of Beef Trust shipments and an explanation of the relations between the packers and the railroad.

Gov. Jeff Davis, of Arkansas, yesterday submitted his reply to charges of immorality preferred by the Second Baptist church of Little Rock. No direct answer is made except that he asks that the charges be signed individually by some "sister" or "sisterhood brother." Then, he states, he will be ready to stand trial.

Three witnesses were before the Senate Committee on Relations with Cuba yesterday. George E. Bryson, Commissioner of Deeds at Havana, said more than half the sugar of Cuba was produced by Americans and American corporations. Oscar W. Donney, an advertising agent, testified to paying for the insertion in "patent inside" papers of articles intended to counteract charges against the Sugar Trust.

### HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of "Catarrh" that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

### MAY 10TH.

The United Mine Workers have begun another campaign in Hopkins county in the hope of organizing the non-union coal miners.

The Louisville and Nashville and the Southern, it is said, have settled their differences in the Clear Fork coal district by an equal division of the territory.

The House yesterday passed the bill providing for enabling acts whereby the Territories of Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico may enter the Union as States.

It is understood in New York that the Louisville and Nashville railroad is planning to pay a high stock recently taken by Morgan & Co. from John W. Gates will eventuate so and Senate unanimously

usually be placed into a securities company.

Unless the Senate minority agrees to vote on the pending Philippine Bill, it is declared in Washington, the majority will enforce the closure rule before the month is out. This move has often been threatened, but never executed.

The Board of Prison Commissioners met at Frankfort yesterday. Edward Fennell was re-elected chairman and J. W. McDonald was re-elected secretary. The board paroled two convicts and accepted plans for a new cellhouse at the Eddyville prison.

After simple funeral services, accompanied by a magnificent military and naval display, the body of Rear Admiral W. T. Sampson was buried yesterday in Arlington cemetery. All departments of the Government were represented at the funeral.

Delegate Mark Smith, of Arizona, was overcome yesterday afternoon at the close of his speech in the House, advocating the admission to the Union of his Territory as a State, and for a time apoplexy was threatened. Mr. Smith is a native of Cynthiana, Ky.

The war claims was the chief subject of discussion in the Methodist Conference at Dallas yesterday. A motion for a stenographic report of all evidence heard by the publishing company was adopted. The opposition to the Rev. H. C. Morrison sitting as a delegate was withdrawn.

In the Senate yesterday Mr. Lodge made an unsuccessful effort to secure unanimous consent to fix a date for a vote on the Philippine Bill. Mr. Teller made a lengthy speech in opposition to the measure advocating self-government for the Philippines and condemning the Republican policy in the islands.

A general strike of the miners of the anthracite district has been ordered. The question as to the permanency of the strike is to be decided by a convention of the miners unions to be held at Hazleton May 14. It is believed the temporary strike order will be obeyed through out the anthracite district.

H. Clay Evans, former Commissioner of Pensions, yesterday issued a statement in which he denied that his resignation of the commission was demanded or was in any way conditional on another appointment. He said that both President McKinley and President Roosevelt were aware of his desire to surrender the post, but that he did not resign until all charges against him had been disposed of.

Lee Turner, of "Quarter House," yesterday shot and killed his cousin, John Turner near Middlesboro. The latter was Chief of Police of Middlesboro and was employed as a courier by the K. and N. between its camps in the disputed Clear Fork coal district. The men met on a county road and John Turner is said to have immediately opened fire. It is said that they had been enemies for years. Lee Turner did not resist arrest. He was taken before a Magistrate and was discharged on the ground of self-defense.

The evidence brought out against the Beef Trust before the Supreme Court of Missouri has led the St. Louis authorities to start an investigation before the grand jury for the purpose of indicting the packers for selling diseased meat.

The anthracite Miners' Committee, in session at Scranton, Pa., has proposed a settlement of existing difficulties with the operators by means of arbitration through the National Civic Federation. The answer of the operators is expected today.

The Illinois Republican convention yesterday by a majority of more than two to one endorsed Congressman Albert J. Hawkins as successor to State Senator Mason. The result is a decisive victory for Gov. Yates' administration and his faction.

Mr. Burton concluded his speech in the Senate yesterday with a defense of Gov. Funston. Mr. Carmack and Mr. Dolliver engaged in a vigorous colloquy over the Philippine Bill, in the course of which the former referred to Gen. Smith as a "bloody old scoundrel."

The Navy Department has issued an order reciting the death of Admiral Sampson and paying a high stock recently taken by Morgan & Co. from John W. Gates will eventuate so and Senate unanimously

ly adopted appropriate resolutions and appointed committees to attend the funeral.

The minority members of the Banking and Currency Committee have filed a report, attacking the Fowler Financial Bill as a crude inflation measure, calculated to create a money trust and drive local banks out of business in communities where the trust banks may wish to operate.

Paul Leicester Ford, the novelist, was shot and killed at his home in New York yesterday by his brother, Malcolm Webster Ford, who immediately shot himself and died instantly. There had been enmity between the brothers for several years and it is believed that Malcolm Ford was mentally unbalanced.

The special grand jury in Fayette county has adjourned after returning thirty-six indictments against persons connected with investment companies. The indictments embrace about fifty people, some of them being indicted jointly and others separately. Most of the indictments charge embezzlement.

The Omnibus Statehood Bill was debated yesterday in the House. It provides for the admission of Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma. Congressman Grosvenor opposed the bill, claiming that it was a logrolling proposition. The pending amendment is to unite Arizona and New Mexico and admit them as the State of Montezuma, or some other name.

The owners of the White Star, Dominion, American and Atlantic transportation lines, which form the Morgan steamship combine, were given \$170,000,000 for their capital stock, divided into 800,000,000 6 per cent. preferred, \$60,000,000 common limited to 10 per cent., \$30,000,000 10 per cent. bonds.

Messages from foreign Police Chiefs, who heartily indorsed the aims of the association, were read at the meeting of Police Chiefs in Louisville yesterday, and members submitted papers on anarchy, the reformation of criminals and other kindred subjects. The climax of the day's proceedings was a banquet at the Galt House last evening, when toasts were responded to by Chief Detsch of Cincinnati; Mr. Henry Watterston and others.

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### ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

Among those miraculously saved from the steamship Roddam was First Officer Scott.

He is a most intelligent man and, though severely burned and much shaken by his experiences, he tells a thrilling story as follows:

"It was about daylight on the morning of May 6 when we sighted the island. We had run through a thunder-storm, and we steamed ahead for St. Pierre, and at six o'clock were at our anchorage off the Place Bertin landing."

"When the agent, with lighters and stevedores, came alongside they told us that Pelée had been acting ugly ever since Saturday, and that there had been quite a heavy fall of hot sand or dust over St. Pierre itself. However the volcano seemed to have quieted down and we got the stevedores to work smartly."

"There were about eighteen other steamers and coasting craft anchored as we were in the open harbor, one of them being the Tanayna, a bark from the French port Nantes, her captain being called Moritz or Maurice. Then there were four other large sailing vessels. The British steamer Roddam put into the berth next to ours and let drop her anchor."

"Then something happened. There was a shaking in the air, so that it felt as though someone had jostled me. Then some man near me cried out:

"My God, look at that!"

## WORST DISASTER

Of Modern Times Was the Volcanic Eruption on Island of Martinique.

FORTY THOUSAND PEOPLE REPORTED KILLED.

Pointe-a-Pitre, May 9.—Secretary of State, Washington: At 7 o'clock a. m. on the 8th instant a storm of steam, mud and fire enveloped the city and community. Not more than twenty persons escaped with their lives. Eighteen vessels were sunk with all on board, including four American vessels and a steamer from Quebec named Roraima. The United States Consul and family are reported among the victims.

St. Thomas, Danish West Indies, May 6.—The eruption of Mount Pelée was witnessed by the crew of the British steamer Ocean Traveler, of St. Johns, N. B. She was driven out of the harbor of St. Vincent by a shower of hot sand from the volcano La Soufriere, which fell on her decks. The Captain feared that he would be overwhelmed and left. He can not tell what happened on shore after that. That was on Wednesday afternoon.

Next morning, Thursday, May 8, the Ocean Traveler was abreast of St. Pierre, Martinique. Pelée was smoking. The schooner was about a mile off shore when the whole top of the mountain seemed to blow off. The explosion was like that of an enormous bomb. A great mass of flame flew out from the high summit and settled down on the surrounding earth. The air was full of falling fire. The town of St. Pierre and the spring in the harbor seemed to burst into flame. They say there were probably twenty vessels in the harbor, and all seemed to be lost.

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Flashes of flame dropped all over the ship.

"There was another roar, and with it all the water in the harbor seemed to gather up and rush upon the shipping. Every craft heeled over to the great tidal wave, and seemed to career and sink. When the wave struck us it flooded us fore and aft, sweeping away the masts, funnel, all the boats save one and all the rattle of the deck."

"There was a ventilator at hand, and to save myself I seized it and was nearly killed thereby, being driven into it by the force of the wave. A couple of stevedores pulled me out of the ventilator and dragged me into the steerage."

"There I remained, half dead, for quite a time, during which the ship rolled and the fire and rocks battered the decks. Now and then a charred and shrieking sailor rolled down the hatchway and died as he came, so that quite a pile of corpses lay over me."

"Some one pulled me from under these and I clambered to the deck and began turning a hand toward saving the injured, who were lying all about, though even then small, red-hot stones and mud were falling."

"As I was about this work, Capt. Muggah came along. I knew him by his clothes, though these were smoldering, but his face was scorched beyond recognition."

"Lower the boat," he said. "I could not obey his orders, however, for the boat that was left by the tidal wave was burned full of holes by the flaming rain. I saw no more of the Captain after that, but I was told that he jumped overboard and got on a raft that was being hurriedly put together, and that he died there."

"All this time the sea was rolling like the heaviest kind of ground swell. Pelée was roaring, and the air was full of strange shocks. When I looked at St. Pierre the sight was terrifying. The town was gone, and in its place was a long stretch of gray-smoking, flaming dust."

"All about us the ships were sunk or aflame, and between us and them and the shore dead bodies floated singly and in groups."

### LIKE A DROWNING MAN.

"Five years ago a disease, the doctors called dyspepsia took such hold of me that I could scarcely go," writes George S. Marsh, well-known attorney of Socorro, Texas. "I took quantities of pills and other medicines but nothing helped me. As a drowning man grabs at a straw I grabbed at Kodol. It helped me at once and after a few bottles an ailment which had been the only preparation which exactly reproduces the natural digestive juices and consequently is the only one which digests any good food and cures any form of stomach trouble."

The preliminary trial of City Marshal Davis, of Grayson, who killed Owen Leedy a few days ago, was held and he was bound over in the sum of \$2,500. Immediately the bond was furnished and in ten minutes Davis was spirited out of town by friends, for the reason that it was known that a mob had been organized and short work would probably have been made of him. The evidence of the trial tended to show that the killing was without apparent cause. After the murder the marshal is said to have thrown a pistol which he had in his pocket down by the side of the corpse in an effort to make it appear a case of self-defense, but this was shattered when the state cross-examined the defendant.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CONGRESS.  
The friends of Rowland C. Burns beg to announce that he is a candidate for Congress in this district in 1902, subject to the action of the Republican party. He believes that a mountain man is as good as any one.

We are authorized to announce James N. Kehoe, of Mason county, as a candidate to represent the Ninth district in Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Thos. H. Corbett, Register of the Land Office of Kentucky, well known to all the politicians of Kentucky, died at Frankfort Saturday night and was taken to Paducah for burial.

Washington, May 12.—Representative Kehoe introduced a bill appropriating \$25,000 for the establishment of a fish hatchery and fish culture station in Northeastern Kentucky, which he claims will be of benefit to the entire State.

In this issue will be seen the announcement of Congressman Jas. N. Kehoe for re-election to Congress in this district. He will have no opposition for the nomination and will doubtless win in November. His official career has been highly satisfactory to his constituency and the experience he is gaining is making him more valuable to us all the time. Mr. Kehoe is an inveterate worker. He has already established the reputation of being one of the most industrious Congressmen in Washington. He is a firm friend of the Big Sandy river improvement, and has kept up the fight for it with untiring effort. This district has never been better represented, and seldom as well, as by Mr. Kehoe.

### TUDELL.

D. B. Hardwick went to Huntington Friday on business. George Wellman and Frank Wheeler attended church at Louisa Sunday night.

Peter Webb and his cousin, Ollie Webb, eloped to Louisa Friday and were married. They returned the following day.

James Carr is visiting friends on Blaine this week.

J. F. Bartram took a fine load of produce to Louisa last week.

Al Wellman and wife, of Louisa, visited John Lynch and wife Sunday.

Rev. Stambaugh visited his cousin, J. L. Short, recently.

Lewis Carr attended Sunday School at Rocky Valley Sunday.

Louis Watson, of Olivette, was here recently looking after a school.

Otto Wellman called on home folks Sunday.

Pearl Wellman has moved to Louisa.

Rev. John Vinson went to Barrenville Monday on business.

Wayne Darnon, of Calletburg, was on our creek Saturday.

Wilburn Sipples has gone to Pittsburg to work on the street car line.

Wool picking at uncle Gid Williams' Saturday. Everybody invited. Wild Goose.

### LAUREL HILL.

Last Monday night Peter Miller fired a new ground and Tuesday at noon the fire caught and burned some fence. The neighbors stopped it without much damage being done. On the same day James Cox lost some fence by fire, and on Thursday fire caught on William Bowling's place near here and did some damage.

Farmers are very much behind with their crops.

There were three baptized at Pt. Pleasant Sunday.

Manford Skaggs, of Lowmansville attended the funeral of his brother at this place. Funeral services conducted by Revs. J. W. Wheeler and Jacob Johnson, of Morgan county, and Arthur Skaggs, of Magoffin county.

James Sagraves, who has been sick since the first of April, is better.

**Tutt's Pills**  
stimulate the TORPID LIVER, strengthen the digestive organs, regulate the bowels, and are equalled as an  
**ANTI-BILIOUS MEDICINE.**  
In malarial districts their virtues are widely recognized, as they possess peculiar properties in freeing the system from that poison. Elegantly sugar coated.  
**Take No Substitute.**

## Latest From Volcanic Islands.

The island of St. Vincent is now the great point of interest in the Antilles. No direct news has been received from the island since Sunday. La Soufriere was then still active. Kingston, the island's capital, was reported to be covered with ashes two inches deep. The dead are estimated at 2,000. The United States tugboat Potomac left Fort de France yesterday for the island.

Entry into the city of St. Pierre has become easier. The city presents an unspeakable picture of death and ruin. Comparatively speaking, few bodies were found, and these are in a carbonized state. The great peril now is a pestilence from the decomposing bodies. It is said that a shipload of lime is at once needed. Fort de France is crowded with refugees, and a famine is imminent. Provisions are reported to be immediately required for 100,000 people.

President Roosevelt yesterday signed the joint resolution appropriating \$200,000 for the Martinique sufferers. Senator Cullom introduced a joint resolution in Congress which was unanimously adopted, appropriating \$300,000 in addition. This is in accordance with President Roosevelt's first suggestion. Both the army and Navy Departments are actively at work preparing to forward needed supplies. Preparations are being made to carry 40,000 rations for fourteen days and clothing for 40,000 people. Admiral Bradford is ready to send water to the island.

In its advanced and chronic form a cold in the head is known as Nasal Catarrh and is the recognized source of other diseases. Having stood the test of continued successful use, Ely's Cream Balm is recognized as a specific for membranous diseases in the nasal passages and you should resort to this treatment in your own case. It is not drying, does not produce sneezing. Price 50 cents at druggists or by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street New York. Give up prejudice and try it.

### YATESVILLE.

Good preaching at Morgans creek last Sunday by Rev. Frasher. A very large crowd and good behavior.

The report about our quarterly meeting was erroneous. It will be held the last Saturday in this month.

On account of sickness of some of our neighbors and some of our workers having been called away by death's angel since last year, our Sunday school is silent.

Mrs. Georgia Holley is improving very slowly. Her many friends deeply sympathize with her in her suffering, and hope she will soon recover, as she is a faithful worker with the sick and those in trouble, and is missed at the church and at home.

Preaching at Morgans creek Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. C. L. Diamond. We were glad to see so many from Morgans creek at Midway Sunday school.

I was much afflicted with sciatica, writes Ed. C. Nud, Iowa, Sedgewick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons, all express themselves as being benefited by it. I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." 25c 50c and \$1.00 at A. M. Hughes.

### CHARLEY.

The smallpox in the Pack family is giving them much trouble. The first couple are getting well, but their father and two more of the children are down with that awful dread disease. The house is still under guard and will be kept so until safe.

Dr. Berry, of Ohio, visited here last week and purchased from E. L. Moore a fine horse for \$100. The Dr. says Kentucky horses are not in Ohio, for their nerves and gaits.

Of course we will not mention any names this time but Miss Nolda you and Charley must not think of Lackey's absence too much, but look forward to the time that you may see him back in old Kentucky.

J. D. Burton is working in the blacksmith shop with Jas. Compton in Louisa.

W. M. Chapman purchased two more horses this week.

Robt. Meade and Chit Griffith will complete their tan bark job at Wees Carters this week.

Dr. Wheeler's mother visited him last week.

Sunday School is progressing fine with Emma Borders as Supt. Richard Berry visited his son here last week.

## CATT.

Willie Woods, who has been sick for some time, is better. Martin Thompson and wife visited home folks Sunday. Slasher Carter and Bill Whitt visited John Arthur Sunday.

Merdy Collier has been working at J. W. Harris saw mill since Saturday. Madge Rice visited at Yatesville Saturday.

Will Rice made a business trip to Fallsburg Friday.

J. H. Ekers and daughter, Rose, visited on Daniels creek Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Cooksey visited her aunt Cassaria Chadwick Saturday.

J. K. Chadwick has fenced in another green valley farm.

Logan Cooksey attended church at Olivette Sunday.

REVEALS A GREAT SECRET.  
It is often asked how such startling cures, that puzzle the best physicians, are effected by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Here's the secret. It cuts out the phlegm and germ-infected mucus, and lets the life-giving oxygen enrich and vitalize the blood. It heals the inflamed, cough-worn throat, lungs, and hard colds and stubborn coughs soon yield to Dr. King's New Discovery, the most infallible remedy for all Throat and Lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at A. M. Hughes.

FAIRSBURG.  
Nobody has been killed here lately, nor stabbed, nor shot, but our citizens have been getting revolvers lately and they will soon want to try them on somebody in order to find out whether they are as good as represented.

Our school is out now and quite a number of the pupils that have been attending the examination next Friday at Louisa.

Everybody has been complaining about the dry weather, and the little shower that came last night doesn't seem to satisfy anybody. E. S.

HICKSVILLE.  
Farmers are about through planting corn.

While cutting saw logs last week Carr McKinney had his foot badly mashed.

Joe Clay visited relatives at Fishers town last week.

Born, to the wife of W. M. Holbrook on the 5th, two fine boys. Will be stepping high.

It has been prognosticated that we will have a Sunday School at this place in the near future. We hope it will prove true.

Jack Arrington has recently moved to his father's estate at this place.

Henry Hicks, Jr., of Westleyville, was here one day last week looking for stray property.

Lewis Durham was visiting relatives here last Sunday.

Preacher Begg, who has been very ill for some time, is much better.

J. M. Dalton, one of our most enterprising young men, is in Louisa this week.

There is an aching and tired feeling, the liver, bowels and kidneys become sluggish and inactive, the digestion impaired, with little or no appetite, and a feeling that the whole body and mind needs toning up.

The trouble is, that during winter, there has been an accumulation of waste matter in the system. Herbine will remove it, secure to the secretion a right exit, and by its tonic effect, fully restore the wasted tissues and give strength in place of weakness. 50c at A. M. Hughes.

BUSSEYVILLE.  
There had been some cry for seed potatoes in our neighborhood until the other day when Mr. Bussey, our merchant, rolled in four barrels, and they did not supply the demand.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely with Mrs. F. M. Bussey, Supt.

Miss Sue Holt visited Miss Ivory Pigg last week.

Mr. Truay was in our neighborhood last week taking orders for enlarging pictures for a Chicago Portrait Co.

Lon Workman has recovered from measles.

Geo. Sturgell will go to Glenwood soon on business.

Webb Holt is visiting home folks.

Sanders Wellman is on the sick list.

We are glad to say that John Thompson's little daughter is better.

Mont Bussey has rebuilt his scales.

OLIVETTE.  
Misses Cora Jordan and Ethel Dean have each bought a new organ.

H. S. Dean is on Newcomb and Long branch this week.

J. K. Woods and Van B. Shortridge are buying hogs.

John W. Smith and wife visited at H. A. Jordan's Sunday.

Hiram Jordan makes his regular trips to Fallsburg.

S. W. Graham gets all the work he can do in his profession.

John Miller and John Frasher visited Hiram Jordan Sunday.

Harmon Phillips, a picture man, passed here recently.

Henson McCormick, a vocal music teacher, will begin a singing school here Sunday.

Green Raven Jordan was the guest of John Smith Sunday.

James and Jess Miller are our millers, and they are very obliging young men.

John V. Bash is planting about fifteen acres of new ground in corn.

W. E. Smith is complaining about worms.

A big lot of fence was burned for G. W. Calvin last week.

It seems that Lawrence county is taking the lead in crime. The mountain counties, where fences flourish, are fast taking back seats, and it seems like the courts of Kentucky are very lenient in dealing with the perpetrators of crime. Pochuck.

**COLDS--COUGHS**  
**Grip**  
RELIEVED IN 5 MINUTES.  
CURED IN 2 HOURS.  
**DR. FENNER'S**  
**Golden Relief**  
and Cough Honey  
have not failed in 30 years. 1 tablespoonful of the "Relief" in 2 of water and one of sugar hourly till sweet, then 1 of "Cough Honey." A full complete cure. 3 doses usually sufficient. Death will never result. CURE FOR THROAT AND LUNG DISEASES WHEN THESE REMEDIES ARE PROMPTLY USED.  
By Druggists, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 sizes.  
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Singer, Cure, Circular, Dr. Fenner, Fredonia, N.Y.

## FROM UP SANDY.

Latest News Items From Counties Up the River.

### PRESTONSBURG

Railroad News. Big Land Deals. School Closed and Other Interesting Items.

The Prestonsburg Normal closed May 10th with nearly a hundred pupils in attendance. The total number enrolled during the last nineteen weeks was two hundred and fifty.

Col. Jack May, of Tazewell county, Va., was here last week and he and Hon. W. S. Harkins made some big land deals near here. Col. May was the famous Confederate Colonel who commanded at the Ivy battle on Big Sandy.

Misses Nellie and Judie Davidson are going to Virginia for a visit with their uncle, Col. May.

Alex Spradlin is engaged in business at Grundy, Virginia, and speaks of moving there.

A large number of our boys and girls will try the teachers' examination.

A man stole R. S. Borton's new saddle a short time ago and traded it for a watch. But he is peeping from behind bars now.

Railroad men are here trying to locate the road. It is thought one company will build a railroad on one side of the river and the other on the opposite side.

We also expect Mr. Hopkins to go to Congress and to have large appropriations made for locks and dams in the Big Sandy, and soon our mineral will be on the market; our lands increased in value; our schools be made better, and we will be a happy and prosperous people.

John Layne is having many pictures enlarged for people of Floyd and adjoining counties.

Willie Callahan and Darwin, who have been attending medical college at Cincinnati, have returned home to spend their vacation.

Rev. James Penneybecker preached two excellent sermons here Sunday.

The ladies of the Methodist church are preparing to have an entertainment soon to raise money to complete the parsonage. They will no doubt be successful as they have already succeeded in raising a large portion of the money used in repairing and enlarging it. The ladies will soon have a large, well furnished parsonage free from debt, for which the pastor and his accomplished wife will be very thankful.

Several of the school boys went fishing Monday—and we were about to forget to mention that some of the girls went with them, but no fish were caught.

Uncle Morg Whitaker was offered \$1,000 for an acre lot at the mouth of Middle creek, but refused to accept it.

The departures from the school are so numerous that we can not make special mention of them, but the boys and girls that have been with us have done good work, and we think a large majority of them will succeed in obtaining good certificates, and we are confident that they are too honorable to purchase the questions. They have been at work, therefore they will succeed.

The H. M. Stafford went up the river Sunday loaded very heavily. Many push boats pass up the river carrying supplies to the railroad hands.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

East Point Lodge, F. & A. M.

Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty God, the Supreme Architect of the universe, to remove from our midst, Brother Abraham Elliott, who died April 30th, 1902. And, Whereas, he had been a loyal, faithful and true Mason and had so manifested the true Masonic spirit, living uprightly among the members of this Lodge as to make himself endeared to us all, And,

Whereas, we deeply mourn the loss of our departed brother, and bow in humble submission to the divine will of Him who knoweth and doeth all things well.

Therefore, be it resolved, that in the death of Bro. Abraham Elliott this Lodge has lost a true and faithful brother, the community in which he lived a good citizen, his wife a kind and gentle husband, and his children a loving father.

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy and commend to them Him who hath power to heal the broken-hearted, and commend them to the loving care of God, who comforteth the widows and orphans and is a gentle and loving father to us all.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Bro. Elliott's family, a copy sent to the Big Sandy News and a copy spread upon the minutes of this lodge, and that the members of the lodge be requested to wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

H. B. RICE.  
J. W. AUNIER.  
T. T. WEBB, Committee.

The sweet and safest remedy for kidney and bladder diseases is Foley's kidney cure.

PAINTSVILLE.

A Youthful Pair Elope. Strike Settled and Mines Are Running.

On last Thursday evening Bert George and Miss Annie Spradlin, daughter of Alfroy Spradlin, eloped for the State of West Virginia to be married. They are worthy young people and had been very attentive to each other for some time. Mr. George had asked for her several times but each time had been refused, so took her out under pretense they were out only for a drive in the cool of the evening, but when next seen by the young lady's father they were crossing the river at Louisa. With him the couple returned to Louisa and were made man and wife, and now two souls have but a single thought, and two hearts beat as one. Bert is clerk in the express office here and is a promising young man, and the bride is a pretty and popular young lady.

L. Moore is here from Charleston, W. Va., purchasing some mineral land.

Henry Clay, of Inez, was here last week.

Mrs. George W. Hager gave her class in music an entertainment

### MONDAY NIGHT AT HER HOME.

Ice cream and cake were served and many plays were enjoyed by the little folks.

The Greasy Creek Cannel Coal and Tramway mines started work Monday. It is being run by union men. The miners had been on a strike since January 16th, and many of their demands were given them. The company now has a new Supt., and the miners are all pleased, and a good feeling prevails between the company and its employees. Rockefeller.

A LESSON IN HEALTH.

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney cure makes sound kidneys and will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder diseases. It strengthens the whole system. A. M. Hughes.

AUXIER.

A New Postoffice in Johnson County, Near the Floyd County Line.

This is a new postoffice in charge of a most obliging and efficient man, J. S. Richmond. It is on Miller creek, about five miles east of East Point, and is reached Tuesday and Saturdays from Paintsville via Coal, on Buffalo. The same route extends to Odds, on Daniels creek.

Miller creek boasts of being the most densely populated district of Johnson county. The coal is of the finest. Most of the lands have passed into the hands of mineral companies. There are, perhaps, ten times as many families on this creek as there were thirty years ago.

Willie Sherman, son of J. M. E. Sherman, is quite sick with typhoid fever, but has taken a change for the better under the care of Drs. Ramey and Hatcher.

Uncles James DeLong and Morgan Clark are the oldest men hereabouts, both having passed 80.

Uncle E. B. Auxier has an extra fine saddle horse for sale.

Dr. Mart Spradlin is one of our most progressive farmers.

Oscar Conley, of East Point, has joined a engineering corps on Shelby.

We have heard that Willie Webb of Miller creek, and Nick Craft, of Paintsville, are to be examiners of teachers the coming year.

A school district that has an excellent house and as many as ninety pupils, in a good neighborhood, is entitled to an able teacher. It is to be hoped that the trustees will remember that the public money belongs to the children and that they will hire a teacher, with an eye single to their interest.

The school system was not established for the benefit of teachers, but for that of the children. The children's interests should not be sacrificed to accommodate kindred or friends.

Mrs. G. W. Hale and Sallie Parsley are visiting home folks at Pilgrim this week.

H. I. Webster spent a few days among us this week.

The following distinguished gentlemen were seen at the Phoenix Hotel Tuesday: B. G. Carr, Lexington; U. S. Prince, Ashland; R. F. Dixon, Whitehouse; J. F. Melton, Charleston, W. Va.; J. F. Porter, Ironton, Ohio.

It would not be in vain for your representative, Mr. Leslie, to visit our country in the interest of the Big Sandy News. The people like the paper and all it needs is some one to boost it.

Rev. Z. D. Holbrook, of the Methodist church, organized a Sunday School at Pilgrim Sunday with 70 pupils.

There is some talk of a Sunday school convention on the 4th of July in which all the schools in the Prestonsburg District will be invited.

WANTS OTHERS TO KNOW.

"I have used Dewitt's Little Early Risers for constipation and torpid liver, and they are all right. I am glad to in-dorse them for I think when we find a good thing we ought to let others know it." writes Alfred Helge, Quincy, Ill. They never gripe or distress. Sure, safe pills. A. M. Hughes.

TRAM.

This New Floyd County Village Contributes a Readable Letter.

This is getting to be quite an important point, but we will not try, like your Dwaile correspondent, to give you a list of all our valuable citizens. That would be too tedious an undertaking. Men of almost every profession gather around "Hatcher's Shanty" table to partake of its proverbial hospitality.

Forty and fifty logs are being put into the river, daily, and a good lot of timber will be ready for the next rise.

F. M. Layne went to Laynesville Sunday, to visit home folks. Frank

is the efficient boss of the log trucks here, and is a hustler.

Mrs. Ben Amburgy, who has been on the sick list for some time has recovered.

Jas. Hatcher went down the river last week.

News comes here of the death of Jno. G. Clark at Dwaile, this county. He was taken sick Sunday and died in a few hours. Mr. Clark belonged to one of the best families of the county, and his sterling qualities and bright intellect, made him well liked by all who knew him. His death was a shock to his friends in this vicinity, and they sincerely mourn their loss.

Dr. E. K. May, the bustling physician, of Dwaile, was here Friday, attending Mrs. Geo. Hopkins, who has been very low for some time.

J. P. Davidson, of Mouth of Beaver, passed up Saturday on his way to Laynesville.

J. P. Call, has gone to John's creek.

W. D. Cecil, who has been working here for a year or more, has moved back to Pikeville.

Miss Dove Hopkins had a social Sunday evening. Quite a crowd of the youngsters attended, and a good time is reported. A lawn party is on her program for Thursday night, and of course it will be a success, as all her social affairs are.

Pedro.

Our place is shrouded in a mantle of gloom this Sunday morning when like a clap of thunder from a cloudless sky the appalling message came that John G. Clark, a young man just across the river, was dead. Only Saturday he was well and moving among us in the vigor of his young manhood. But he has fallen asleep, while countless ages will break above him the surging billows of a restless sea. These are the darkest and gloomiest clouds of human life. When we meet with bereavements of this kind we cannot refrain from giving a free expression to tears. It seems like oil poured on the troubled waters and I am led to believe that the Saviour when he beholds a bereft one that he drops a tear of pity that goes as a balm to



## BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1902

### New Meat Shop. And Grocery Store Combined.

Cold storage beef in stock at all times.  
A general stock of fresh groceries.  
Best Grades of Flour at the  
Lowest Prices.

I pay the highest market prices for  
country hams and bacon.  
CALIFORNIA - HONEY,  
at wholesale and retail.  
Call and see me. My prices will suit.  
**R. S. CHAFFIN.**

#### THE SONG.

"I'm going back, I'm going back,  
The singer sweetly sang.  
Her face was beautiful, her voice  
In rich, full volumes rang.  
"I'm going back," she sang, and then  
Some base, unlettered clown  
Up in the gallery hollered, "When  
You get there, please set down."  
—Chicago Times-Herald.

For good flour go to Sullivan.  
Southern German millet seed at  
Sullivan's.

New beans, peas and tomatoes at  
Sullivan's.

Good green coffee at Sullivan's  
at 10c per pound.

Langdon's Cream Bread 3 times  
a week at Sullivan's.

The dam at this place is being  
raised, for the first time this season.

Mr. J. C. Butler, who has been  
in poor health for some time is no  
better.

Rev. H. B. Hewlett went to Eden  
Tuesday to assist in a revival  
meeting.

Now is the time to buy the triple  
motion ice cream freezer. Sullivan  
has them.

Andrew Elderman has gone to  
Ashland to take a position in the  
Thomas lumber mill.

The premium offer now being  
made by the News is worth looking  
after. It costs you nothing.

When in Catlettsburg go to Hen-  
sley's Restaurant for your meals.  
Fresh fish a specialty. Front street.

Mrs. Wm. Justice's new stock of  
ladies' hats arrived Wednesday.  
It is an elegant and stylish assort-  
ment.

Tim Vaughan, of Catlettsburg,  
and Jim Spradlin, of Prestonsburg,  
were here this week with the H.  
M. Stafford.

Rev. J. H. Stambaugh, of the  
Christian Church, has been hold-  
ing service in the city hall for sev-  
eral nights.

The Louisa Furniture Co. has a  
good second-hand buggy and set of  
harness, to sell cheap, on three  
months time.

If you intend to buy a new bug-  
gy and set of harness it will pay  
you to see the Louisa Furniture  
Company's line.

Pete Webb and Miss Ollie Webb,  
of West Virginia, were married  
last Friday at the residence of  
their uncle, C. R. Wilson.

Among the residences that have  
been painted recently are those of  
G. R. B. Chapman, H. G. Burchett,  
R. S. Chaffin and James Q. Lackey.

Just received a new lot of ladies'  
misses and childrens trimmed hats.  
Would like for you to call and ex-  
amine my line before purchasing.  
G. V. MEIER.

Miss Melbie Bromley gave a very  
pleasant party to a number of  
young friends Monday evening in  
honor of her guests, Mr. and Miss  
Johnson.

The delicious ice cream served  
by Mrs. Robert Burchett is very  
refreshing on these warm even-  
ings. Next door to the grocery  
store at depot.

A. M. Hughes has received per-  
mission from the postal authorities  
to put his drug store in the post-  
office building, and the stock was  
moved Wednesday.

Mrs. E. H. Porter, wife of Dr.  
Porter, the Army Surgeon, has a  
letter from Gen. Sternberg allay-  
ing her fears as to the wounding  
of her husband in the Philippines.  
It was another Dr. Porter, a cousin  
of her husband, who was wounded.

The case of Minard H. Thomp-  
son, of this county, for killing J.  
P. Reed, was called at Williamson,  
W. Va., Wednesday. It is the in-  
tention of both sides to have the  
case tried at this term of court.  
T. S. Thompson, John Hays, Al.  
Hays, of this county, are there at-  
tending the trial.

Mr. Lee Wooten, of South Point,  
and Miss Nellie Fox, were mar-  
ried in Ironton Saturday evening  
at the home of Mrs. G. W. Nance,  
a cousin of the bride.—Catlettsburg  
Daily Press.

The groom is known here hav-  
ing visited the family of J. W.  
Yaies, who are his relatives.

*E. W. Grover*  
This signature is on every box of the genuine  
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets  
the remedy that cures a cold in one day

The Thomas family was well  
represented in Cincinnati this  
week. Mr. Ben Thomas and fam-  
ily, Mr. J. C. Thomas and family  
and Thomas' orchestra were there.  
Children's Day service will be  
held at the M. E. Church South  
next Sunday. A special program  
is being prepared. Mrs. Boland is  
drilling the children for the oc-  
casion.

The members of the W. C. T. U.  
are requested to meet at the Bruns-  
wick hotel Friday 7 p. m., for the  
purpose of ascertaining whether  
the Union will entertain the Dis-  
trict convention. MINNIE STONE,  
Sec.

Special Pension Examiner W. S.  
Folger will change his headquar-  
ters from Louisa to Ashland, at  
that is a more convenient point  
for the greater part of his work.  
He and his family are excellent  
people and we regret that they are  
to leave here.

Attorney John B. Arttr, of near  
Cassville has located at Oceana  
Wyoming county. We are sorry  
to lose Mr. Arttr but hope he may  
meet success in his new location.  
He deserves a large measure of  
success.—Wayne News.

Mr. Arttr married Miss Ruth  
Peters, who is well known here.

The News acknowledges receipt  
of the following invitation and re-  
grets the inability to accept it:

Wayne, West Virginia  
You are respectfully invited to  
join the teachers and pupils of Oak-  
view Academy in their annual May  
Party on May 16, 1902, on their May-  
party grounds.

ALICE SELLARDS,  
EMMA MYERS,  
TEXIE GARRET,  
CLAUDE NEWMAN,  
BEANER WELLMAN,  
FRANK ADKINS, Sec.  
WM. LOCKHART, Ch'n.

Captain M. Freese sustained very  
painful injuries Tuesday evening  
by falling to the floor. He was  
alone at the time in his sitting  
room, and could give no definite  
account of how it happened. The  
right eye is very much bruised and  
discolored and entirely closed. In  
falling the top of his head must  
have struck something, for the  
scalp was torn and bruised and  
bled quite freely. The shock given  
to the aged Captain is great,  
and he is suffering much pain.

Hager & Stewart, the prominent  
law firm of Ashland, have contract-  
ed with the Northern Coal and  
Coke Company for a year's service.  
They are to take entire charge of  
all matters requiring legal atten-  
tion, which means practically, that  
they are to have charge of the com-  
pany's business in this section.  
Under the arrangement Mr. J. W.  
M. Stewart will spend most of his  
time during the next twelve  
months at Pikeville. Mrs. Stear-  
t will go there with him; and  
they will rent their handsome resi-  
dence in Ashland, provided satis-  
factory tenants are found.

Mr. Stewart made a trip to Pike-  
ville Saturday, when the work was  
turned over to him. He will re-  
turn there as soon as the Boyd  
court is over.

The Northern Coal and Coke Com-  
pany have made extensive pur-  
chases of mineral properties in the  
Big Sandy valley and the surveys  
and transfers for numerous tracts  
will require at least a year's time.

The following is an extract from  
a lengthy account of a reception  
given last week in Ashland by  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. M. Stewart,  
formerly of Louisa:

"One of the very largest and  
most beautiful receptions ever given  
in this city was that of last even-  
ing given by Mr. and Mrs. J. W.  
M. Stewart, of Bath avenue, in  
honor of the Twentieth Century  
and Current Event Clubs.

The Stewart home is one of the  
handsomest and most stately in  
North Eastern Kentucky, and  
there is seldom a home so well  
adapted for entertaining.

The parlors, reception-hall, din-  
ing room, in fact the entire down  
stairs was converted into one large  
room.

The decorations were all in white  
and green.

May flowers, snow balls, may-  
apple blossoms, anemones, dog-  
wood, crab-apple blossoms, valley-  
lilies, narcissus and various spring  
flowers adorned each room. The  
perfume of these flowers, the light  
soft music and the crush of women  
beautifully gowned, and men en-  
glanded in made a brilliant  
scene.

The Stewart home is so exqui-  
sitely beautiful at all times that  
to add too many decorations would  
seem almost like trying to "adorn  
the rose" "or paint the lily."

The "stiff" receiving line was so  
to extend down away with, and the  
ladies received in groups.

The refreshments consisted of  
salads, ices and cake and were  
daintily served.

All during the evening LeRoy's  
orchestra of Huntington rendered  
the sweetest music; among the  
numbers were selections from the  
Opera of Florodora, selections from  
the Opera of King Dodo, extracts  
from the Messenger Boy, and also  
the leading marches and waltzes  
of the day.—Ashland Daily Inde-  
pendent.

You never heard of any one using  
Foley's Honey and Tar and not being  
satisfied.  
A. M. Hughes.

## HORSES WANTED.

I will be at Webbville, Friday,  
May, 23rd; at Blaine, Saturday,  
May, 24, and at Louisa Monday,  
May, 26, to buy horses, mares and  
mules. Must be sound and in  
good order.  
B. L. WARNER.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere  
thanks to all the friends who as-  
sisted us so kindly at the death of  
our darling child and wife.  
Mr. and Mrs. John J. Meek, and  
John Jones, Jr.

### Cerco Destroyed by Fire.

The town of Cerco, W. Va., suf-  
fered heavily from fire Tuesday  
evening of this week. Seventeen  
houses, the electric power plant of  
the Camden Interstate railway  
and the big Millender box factory  
were destroyed, causing a loss es-  
timated at half million dollars.

### Children's Day.

Program for Children's Day Ser-  
vice next Sunday at the M. E.  
Church South.  
Regular Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
Baptism of Children, 10:45 a.m.  
A beautiful program for 40 chil-  
dren, 11 a.m.  
Preaching, 7:45 p.m.  
All cordially invited.

### Big Sandy Appropriations.

The members of the Conference  
Committee of Congress have agreed  
upon one item in the Big Sandy  
river amendment to the Rivers  
and Harbors bill. It is the \$50,000  
needed to complete the two dams  
between Louisa and Catlettsburg.  
Senator Elkins says the others  
\$450,000 provided by the amend-  
ment must be agreed to before the  
bill shall pass.

### N. & W. EXTENSION.

Although but little has been  
heard here lately about the pro-  
posed new line of the N. & W. rail-  
way down Tug and Big Sandy riv-  
ers from Naugatuck to Kenova, we  
are reliably informed that there is  
no doubt about the road being  
built as soon as the preliminary ar-  
rangements can be made. It is  
said the maps and records of the  
surveys made several years ago  
along this route were destroyed by  
fire some time ago. This neces-  
sitates doing a large amount of slow  
and tedious work all over again.

### RIVER AND HARBOR MATTERS.

Tuesday's dispatches contained  
the following items about the riv-  
ers and harbors bill:—

"The Conference Committee on  
the Rivers and Harbors Bill ad-  
journing today until Wednesday  
owing to the absence of Senator  
McMillan and Representative Bur-  
ton."

"It is understood that Senator  
Blackburn stands in a fair way to  
win his fight for the Big Sandy  
river. The House conferees are  
voting solidly with Chairman Bur-  
ton against the appropriation, but  
the Senate members do not appear  
willing to yield the disputed item.  
Senator Blackburn has received  
assurances that the Senate conferees  
will not allow the appropri-  
ation to fail."

### Orphan Brigade Meeting.

A call has been issued for a re-  
union of Company C, Fifth Ken-  
tucky infantry of the Confederate  
Army at Cannell City in Morgan  
county on May 14th.

Morgan county furnished as many  
soldiers to the Confederate cause as  
any other in the Bluegrass, and a  
large number of old soldiers are  
living there now.

The date selected for the reunion  
is the thirty-eighth anniversary  
of the first engagement of the Or-  
phan Brigade at Rosaca, of which  
famous organization the Fifth  
Kentucky was a part.

Extensive arrangements are be-  
ing made for the reunion, and those  
interested will do everything pos-  
sible to make it a memorable oc-  
casion.

### Examiner W. W. Cordell.

The Knoxville Sentinel of May,  
10th, has the following to say of  
Special Pension Examiner Wayne  
W. Cordell, formerly of this place:

Wayne W. Cordell, of Charles-  
ton, one of Uncle Sam's special ex-  
aminers is in the city today en-  
route to London, Ky., when he  
goes to work on a famous pension  
fraud case.

Before being sent to South Caro-  
lina Mr. Cordell was located in  
Kentucky and he investigated the  
case of Wm. Connolly of the 45th  
infantry, Co. E, who died a few  
years ago.

The widows pension was \$8 per  
month and to get it increased to \$12  
it is alleged that evidence was pro-  
duced showing that Connolly came  
to his death by a disease contract-  
ed in the civil war.

Cordell investigated the case and  
proved that Connolly had a fight  
and was shot through the back from  
which he died seventeen years after  
the war closed.

The widow of Connolly and at-  
torney Gibson with three witness-  
es were arrested and tried at Cov-  
ington, but by a demurrer they  
were released. They are now to be  
indicted at London.

Examiner Cordell is a native of  
Scott county and has friends in the  
city.

## Adjudged Insane.

Jep Meek, who shot and slightly  
wounded Dr. L. B. Dean a few  
weeks ago at Busseyville, was  
brought before the court last Fri-  
day upon a charge of insanity. He  
was adjudged to be of unsound  
mind and was sent to the asylum  
at Lexington.

The condition of Engineer R. L.  
Wesley, who was so badly injured  
in the Big Sandy railroad wreck in  
March, remains about the same.  
Physically he shows steady im-  
provement, although the progress  
is somewhat slow. His deplorable  
mental condition is not improved.

Mr. E. D. Vincent, who has been  
here about a year as an assistant  
U. S. Engineer on the Big Sandy  
work, has been ordered to Yellow-  
stone Park and will go within a  
short time. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent  
are very much liked here by those  
who know them, and their depart-  
ure is regretted. The position to  
be taken by Mr. Vincent is a very  
desirable one especially for the  
summer season, as Yellowstone  
Park is an ideal place. The gov-  
ernment is building pikes there.

## PERSONALS.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.  
I will be at my office in Louisa,  
on the second Saturday of each  
month.  
B. W. HOLBROOK,  
County Superintendent.

Dr. Bromley was in Catlettsburg  
Tuesday.

Prof. Hill went to Louisville  
Tuesday.

Col. Northrup went to Cincinnati  
Tuesday.

Mr. J. A. Abbott went down the  
river Tuesday.

Jailer Al. Hays was in Catletts-  
burg a few days ago.

M. S. Burns and family went to  
Huntington Tuesday.

Miss Cynthia Quinn is the guest  
of Catlettsburg relatives.

Mrs. G. B. Gray is visiting at  
Mt. Savage and Preston.

Miss Emma Northrup has return-  
ed from a visit in Ashland.

A. J. Garred has been attending  
the Boyd Circuit Court.

Jed Davis, of Prestonsburg, was a  
visitor in Louisa last week.

Mr. J. F. Hawkworth was in Cin-  
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Attorney W. D. O'Neal attended  
court at Catlettsburg yesterday.

Miss Anna Louise Ratcliff, of  
Huntington, is visiting relatives  
here.

Dan Wheeler, of Paintsville, was  
the guest of Louisa relatives, this  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas and  
little son Jack went to Cincinnati  
Friday.

Mr. J. W. Jones has been visit-  
ing his daughter up Tug for sev-  
eral days.

Mr. J. Webb and Will Falkerson  
returned Sunday from Webbville  
and Willard.

Mrs. H. A. Wood and children,  
of Buffalo, N. Y., are guests of Col.  
and Mrs. Jay H. Northrup.

Little Florence Brown, of Cat-  
lettsburg, spent Sunday with her  
cousins, the Lackey children.

Mrs. B. F. Thomas and daughter  
Miss Heloise went to Cincinnati  
Tuesday to remain a few days.

Miss Ada Johnson and brother,  
of White's Creek, W. Va., visited  
Miss Melbie Bromley this week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Biggs return-  
ed Tuesday from a visit to rela-  
tives in Greenup and Huntington.

Richard Adams and wife were in  
Louisa over Sunday enroute to  
Salversville to visit Mr. Adams'  
parents.

Wm. G. Shannon has returned  
from Sault Ste Marie, Mich., where  
he had been at work for the past  
three months.

Mr. Robt. Brown went to Ash-  
land Tuesday evening to attend a  
special meeting held there by the  
Masonic fraternity.

N. B. Arnett was at home a few  
days ago from Beaver, where he  
has charge of some of the Stand-  
ard Lumber Company's business.

Mrs. J. L. Hibbard was here Fri-  
day returning home with her broth-  
er, Charles Bowling, who is in very  
poor health. He had been at Wil-  
ton, Knox county.

Capt. J. C. Hopkins and wife,  
of Catlettsburg, stopped off here  
Wednesday on their way home  
from Prestonsburg, and spent the  
day with friends.

J. A. Shannon and John Hoston,  
barbers, have gone to Mt. Sterling  
and taken charge of a shop. Ira  
Wellman now has one of the shops  
here and Joe Botts the other.

P. H. Loar, arrived home Wed-  
nesday from Asheville, N. C., where  
he spent the winter for the bene-  
fit of his health. He is consid-  
erably improved, and his many  
friends are glad to see him.

Dr. L. T. Loar of Muncie, Indian  
was here yesterday with his fam-  
ily returning from a visit to his  
mother, Mrs. Harmon Loar, who  
has been very sick at her home in  
West Virginia a few miles from  
this place.

A few days ago Senator Steph-  
en B. Elkins of West Virginia  
mailed a check for \$100 to Cole  
Younger in St. Paul, one of the fa-  
mous Missouri bandits now out on  
parole. Elkins had heard that  
Cole was in need of funds. The  
Senator has a pleasant recollection  
of having his life saved by Cole  
Younger about 40 years ago when  
Cole was delegated to take Elkins  
to the rear and shoot him. Elkins  
had been captured by the Quantrell  
gang of guerrillas, which was be-  
ing pursued by Union soldiers.  
Cole pointed to a fork in the road  
and told Elkins to "ride like hell,"  
which he did.

## TRAVELING IS DANGEROUS.

Constant motion jars the kidneys  
which are kept in place in the body  
by delicate attachments. This is the reas-  
on that travelers, trainmen, street car  
men, teamsters and all who drive very  
much suffer from kidney disease in  
some form. Foley's Kidney cure  
strengthens the kidneys and cures all  
forms of kidney and bladder troubles.  
Geo. H. Hansen, locomotive engineer,  
Lima, O., writes: "Constant vibration  
of the engine caused me a great deal of  
trouble with my kidneys, and I got no  
relief until I tried Foley's Kidney cure."  
A. M. Hughes.

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on the second Saturday of each  
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B. W. HOLBROOK,  
County Superintendent.

## Cheap Building Lumber.

In order to clean our yards here  
and at our mill on the S. K. Mun-  
cy farm, we offer for very reason-  
able prices a nice lot of oak boxing  
lengths from 8 to 16 ft.  
The Prendergast Lbr. & Coal Co.

## FOR SALE.

One 22 inch straw grist mill, al-  
most new, one 16 horse power en-  
gine in good working order, one  
upright boiler. Terms, cash, or  
note six months with approved se-  
curity. HATTEN & WARREN,  
Buchanan, Ky.

Just Across the River  
in West Virginia.

Arnold Perry has been the County  
court of Wayne for \$2000 dam-  
ages for injuries received while  
riding along the county road one  
night, he having been struck in  
the eye by a limb overhanging the  
road, which he claims injured his  
vision.

Robert Foy, who murdered Day-  
ton H. Miller, Secretary and Treas-  
urer of the Cranes Nest Coal and  
Coke Company at Toms Creek, Va.,  
and who afterward was sentenced  
to be hanged, on July 2 escaped  
from jail, was brought to Blue-  
field from North Fork by Detective  
A. H. Baldwin. He will be  
held to await requisition papers.

The Court of Appeals yesterday  
held that a lunatic's estate could  
not be subjected to the payment of  
his board at a State asylum until  
those dependent on him had been  
provided for. It was also held that  
an asylum could only sue for board  
at the annual rate of \$150, and not  
\$200, as permitted by statute, and  
that in the case of property ac-  
quired by a lunatic after his being  
adjudged a pauper lunatic, the  
cause of action accrues to an asy-  
lum, and the statutory period of  
limitation begins at the time of  
the acquisition.

Williamson W. Va., May 10—  
The Republican County Con-  
vention here to-day to select delegates  
to the county senatorial and con-  
gressional conventions came near  
ending in a free fight. It came  
about over the selection of sena-  
torial delegates, the fight being be-  
tween the friends of J. L. Caldwell  
and the friends of N. B. Scott for  
the senatorship. The Caldwell men  
were largely in the majority and  
when they organized the conven-  
tion the Scott followers withdrew  
and held another convention.  
Boisterous scenes characterized the  
gathering and at various times  
serious trouble seemed imminent.

Huntington, W. Va., May 13—  
Ray Evans, of prominent parentage  
who less than a month ago enlisted  
in the United States army because  
a young girl with whom he was in  
love refused to marry him, committed  
suicide here this afternoon.  
Prior to ending his life he told  
friends that he feared he might be  
sent to the Philippines. He fired  
a bullet through his brain. The  
suicide occurred in Marshall col-  
lege yards, directly across the  
street from the home of the young  
woman who had refused to become  
his bride. She was looking from a  
front window and witnessed the  
tragedy. She is almost crazed  
with grief.

The Major is evidently not so  
well informed about this section  
as he would have the people of the  
capital city believe.

Incorporation articles were filed  
in the office of the Secretary of  
State by the Wolf Creek Coal Com-  
pany and the Blackberry Coal  
Company, both of Boyd county.

Each has \$1200 capital stock. J.  
D. Wyeth of New Jersey, and John  
F. Hager, of Ashland, are the in-  
corporators of the first named com-

pany and J. W. Reimer, of New  
York, and John F. Hager, of Ash-  
land, of the second company.

Andrew Carnegie has offered to  
give Ashland \$25,000 with which  
to establish a public library, pro-  
vided the city will furnish a site  
and \$2,500 per year for ten years  
for maintaining the library.

Deputy United States Marshal  
Press Jackson, of Salt Lick Bath  
county, and Chief of Police Charles  
Wilson raised a big moonshine  
still near Lombard, Menifee coun-  
ty, destroying a large amount of  
beer. The operators could not be  
found.

John W. Langley, of Prestons-  
burg, has been promoted to the  
position of disbursing officer of the  
Census Department. He succeeds  
an official who was removed for a  
defalcation of about \$5,000. Lang-  
ley had been Appointment Clerk  
for a long time.

Robert Hicks was killed, Tom  
Tackett fatally wounded, W. M.  
Smith shot in the forehead and  
Henry Tackett cut three times  
with a knife so that he will die  
and others were hurt in a row at  
Olive Hill Sunday night. The  
guilty persons are under arrest  
and more trouble is expected.

W. W. Clark a prominent mer-  
chant of Webbville, was here yester-  
day the guest of W. L. Watson,  
with whom he was formerly con-  
nected in business.

Mr. Clark is enroute to Wiscon-  
sin, where he goes to look after  
some land interests. He has ten  
acres there planted in ginseng, for  
which he has been offered \$50,000.  
However, he will probably hold it  
as it is very valuable, and he no  
doubt, will realize a handsome  
sum for it.—Ashland Daily Inde-  
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